

THE EPISTLE OF PAUL THE APOSTLE TO THE THESSALONIANS

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THE FIRST EPISTLE OF PAUL THE APOSTLE TO THE THESSALONIANS

1 Paul, and Silvanus, and Timotheus, unto the church of the Thessalonians which is in God the Father Jesus Christ: Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Father, and the Lord Jesus Christ.

2 We give thanks to God always for you, making mention of you in our prayers; Remembering without ceasing your work of faith, and labour of love, and patience of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ, in the sight of God our Father; Knowing, brethren beloved, your election of God.

3 For our gospel came unto you, not only in power, and in the Holy Ghost, and in much assurance; as ye know what manner of men we were among you for your sake.

4 And ye became followers of us, and received the word much affliction, with joy of the Holy Ghost:

⁷ So that ye were ensamples to all believe and from the word not Macedonia, but every faith God abroad need anything themselves us in you turned from the living God; ¹⁰ And for from whom raised, even Jesus delivered the wrath.

² For brethren, entrance in that, that we had suffered before shamefully entreated, know God with you, ³ For was not, nor

nor|strong = "G3777" in|strong = "G1722" guile|strong = "G1388": ⁴ But|strong = "G0235" as|strong = "G2531" we were allowed|strong = "G1381" of|strong = "G5259" God|strong = "G2316" to be put in trust with|strong = "G4100" the gospel|strong = "G2098", even so|strong = "G3779" we speak|strong = "G2980"; not|strong = "G3756" as|strong = "G5613" pleasing|strong = "G0700" men|strong = "G0444", but|strong = "G0235" God|strong = "G2316", which|strong = "G3588" trieth|strong = "G1381" our|strong = "G2257" hearts|strong = "G2588". ⁵ For|strong = "G1063" neither|strong = "G3777" at any time|strong = "G4218" used we|strong = "G1096" flattering|strong = "G2850" words|strong = "G3056", as|strong = "G2531" ye know|strong = "G1492", nor|strong = "G3777" a cloke|strong = "G4392" of covetousness|strong = "G4124"; God|strong = "G2316" is witness|strong = "G3144": ⁶ Nor|strong = "G3777" of|strong = "G1537" men|strong = "G0444" sought we|strong = "G2212" glory|strong = "G1391", neither|strong = "G3777" of|strong = "G0575" you|strong = "G5216", nor|strong = "G3777" yet of|strong = "G0575" others|strong = "G0243", when we might|strong = "G1410" have been|strong = "G1511" burden|strong = "G0922"some|strong = "G1722", as|strong = "G5613" the apostles|strong = "G0652" of Christ|strong = "G5547". ⁷ But|strong = "G0235" we were|strong = "G1096" gentle|strong = "G2261" among|strong = "G1722" you|strong = "G5216", even|strong = "G0302" as|strong = "G5613" a nurse|strong = "G5162" cherisheth|strong = "G2282" her|strong = "G1438" children|strong = "G5043": ⁸ So|strong = "G3779" being affectionately desirous|strong = "G2442" of you|strong = "G5216", we were willing|strong = "G2106" to have imparted|strong = "G3330" unto you|strong = "G5213", not|strong = "G3756" the gospel|strong = "G2098" of God|strong = "G2316" only|strong = "G3440", but|strong = "G0235" also|strong = "G2532" our own|strong = "G1438" souls|strong = "G5590", because|strong = "G1360" ye were|strong = "G1096" dear|strong = "G0027" unto us|strong = "G2254". ⁹ For|strong = "G1063" ye remember|strong = "G3421", brethren|strong = "G0080", our|strong = "G2257" labour|strong = "G2873" and|strong = "G2532" travail|strong = "G3449": for|strong = "G1063" labouring|strong = "G2038" night|strong = "G3571" and|strong = "G2532" day|strong = "G2250", because|strong = "G4314" we would|strong = "G1912" not|strong = "G3361" be chargeable unto|strong = "G1912" any|strong = "G5100" of you|strong = "G5216", we preached|strong = "G2784" unto|strong = "G1519" you|strong = "G5209" the gospel|strong = "G2098" of God|strong = "G2316". ¹⁰ Ye|strong = "G5210" are witnesses|strong = "G3144", and|strong = "G2532" God|strong = "G2316" also, how|strong = "G5613" holily|strong = "G3743" and|strong = "G2532" justly|strong = "G1346" and|strong = "G2532" unblameably|strong = "G0274" we behaved ourselves|strong = "G1096" among you|strong = "G5213" that|strong = "G3588" believe|strong = "G4100": ¹¹ As|strong = "G2509" ye know|strong = "G1492" how|strong = "G5613" we exhorted|strong = "G3870" and|strong = "G2532" comforted|strong = "G3888" and|strong = "G2532"

charged|strong = "G3140" every|strong = "G1538" one|strong = "G1520" of
 you|strong = "G5216", as|strong = "G5613" a father|strong = "G3962" doth
 his|strong = "G1438" children|strong = "G5043", ¹² That|strong = "G1519"
 ye|strong = "G5209" would walk|strong = "G4043" worthy|strong = "G0516"
 of God|strong = "G2316", who|strong = "G3588" hath called|strong = "G2564"
 you|strong = "G5209" unto|strong = "G1519" his|strong = "G1438"
 kingdom|strong = "G0932" and|strong = "G2532" glory|strong = "G1391".

13For|strong = "G1223" this|strong = "G5124" cause|strong = "G1223"
 also|strong = "G2532" thank|strong = "G2168" we|strong = "G2249"
 God|strong = "G2316" without ceasing|strong = "G0089",
 because|strong = "G3754", when ye received|strong = "G3880" the
 word|strong = "G3056" of God|strong = "G2316" which ye
 heard|strong = "G0189" of|strong = "G3844" us|strong = "G2257", ye
 received|strong = "G1209" it not|strong = "G3756" as the
 word|strong = "G3056" of men|strong = "G0444", but|strong = "G0235"
 as|strong = "G2531" it is|strong = "G2076" in truth|strong = "G0230", the
 word|strong = "G3056" of God|strong = "G2316", which|strong = "G3739"
 effectually worketh|strong = "G1754" also|strong = "G2532"
 in|strong = "G1722" you|strong = "G5213" that|strong = "G3588"
 believe|strong = "G4100". ¹⁴ For|strong = "G1063" ye|strong = "G5210",
 brethren|strong = "G0080", became|strong = "G1096"
 followers|strong = "G3402" of the churches|strong = "G1577" of
 God|strong = "G2316" which|strong = "G3588" in|strong = "G1722"
 Judaea|strong = "G2449" are|strong = "G5607" in|strong = "G1722"
 Christ|strong = "G5547" Jesus|strong = "G2424": for|strong = "G3754"
 ye|strong = "G5210" also|strong = "G2532" have suffered|strong = "G3958"
 like things|strong = "G5024" of|strong = "G5259" your own|strong = "G2398"
 countrymen|strong = "G4853", even|strong = "G2532" as|strong = "G2531"
 they|strong = "G0846" have of|strong = "G5259" the Jews|strong = "G2453":
¹⁵ Who|strong = "G3588" both|strong = "G2532" killed|strong = "G0615" the
 Lord|strong = "G2962" Jesus|strong = "G2424", and|strong = "G2532" their
 own|strong = "G2398" prophets|strong = "G4396", and|strong = "G2532"
 have persecuted|strong = "G1559" us|strong = "G2248"; and|strong = "G2532"
 they please|strong = "G0700" not|strong = "G3361" God|strong = "G2316",
 and|strong = "G2532" are contrary|strong = "G1727" to all|strong = "G3956"
 men|strong = "G0444": ¹⁶ Forbidding|strong = "G2967" us|strong = "G2248"
 to speak|strong = "G2980" to the Gentiles|strong = "G1484"
 that|strong = "G2443" they might be saved|strong = "G4982",
 to|strong = "G1519" fill up|strong = "G0378" their|strong = "G0846"
 sins|strong = "G0266" alway|strong = "G3842": for|strong = "G1161" the
 wrath|strong = "G3709" is come|strong = "G5348" upon|strong = "G1909"
 them|strong = "G0846" to|strong = "G1519" the uttermost|strong = "G5056".

17 But we, brethren, being taken from you for a short time in presence, not in heart, endeavoured to see your face with great desire.

18 Wherefore we would have come unto you, even once; but Satan hindered us. 19 For what is our hope, or joy, or rejoicing? Are not ye our Lord Jesus Christ at his coming? 20 For ye are and joy.

3 Wherefore when we could no longer forbear, we thought it good to be left at Athens alone; 2 And I sent Timothy, our brother, and minister of God, and our fellowlabourer in the gospel of Christ, to establish you, and to comfort you concerning your faith: 3 That no man should be moved by these afflictions: for yourselves know that we are appointed thereunto. 4 For verily with you, we told you before that we should suffer tribulation; even as it came to pass,

and|strong="G2532" ye know|strong="G1492". ⁵ For|strong="G1223" this|strong="G5124" cause|strong="G1223", when I|strong="G2504" could|strong="G4722" no longer|strong="G3371" forbear|strong="G4722", I sent|strong="G3992" to|strong="G1519" know|strong="G1097" your|strong="G5216" faith|strong="G4102", lest by some means|strong="G3381" the tempter|strong="G3985" have tempted|strong="G3985" you|strong="G5209", and|strong="G2532" our|strong="G2257" labour|strong="G2873" be|strong="G1096" in|strong="G1519" vain|strong="G2756". ⁶ But|strong="G1161" now|strong="G0737" when|strong="G2064" Timotheus|strong="G5095" came|strong="G2064" from|strong="G0575" you|strong="G5216" unto|strong="G4314" us|strong="G2248", and|strong="G2532" brought|strong="G2097" us|strong="G2254" good tidings|strong="G2097" of your|strong="G5216" faith|strong="G4102" and|strong="G2532" charity|strong="G0026", and|strong="G2532" that|strong="G3754" ye have|strong="G2192" good|strong="G0018" remembrance|strong="G3417" of us|strong="G2257" always|strong="G3842", desiring greatly|strong="G1971" to see|strong="G1492" us|strong="G2248", as|strong="G2509" we|strong="G2249" also|strong="G2532" to see you|strong="G5209": ⁷ Therefore|strong="G1223", brethren|strong="G0080", we were comforted|strong="G3870" over|strong="G1909" you|strong="G5213" in|strong="G1909" all|strong="G3956" our|strong="G2257" affliction|strong="G2347" and|strong="G2532" distress|strong="G0318" by|strong="G1223" your|strong="G5216" faith|strong="G4102": ⁸ For|strong="G3754" now|strong="G3568" we live|strong="G2198", if|strong="G1437" ye|strong="G5210" stand fast|strong="G4739" in|strong="G1722" the Lord|strong="G2962". ⁹ For|strong="G1063" what|strong="G5101" thanks|strong="G2169" can we|strong="G1410" render|strong="G0467" to God|strong="G2316" again|strong="G0467" for|strong="G4012" you|strong="G5216", for|strong="G1909" all|strong="G3956" the joy|strong="G5479" wherewith|strong="G3739" we joy|strong="G5463" for|strong="G1223" your|strong="G5209" sakes|strong="G1223" before|strong="G1715" our|strong="G2257" God|strong="G2316"; ¹⁰ Night|strong="G3571" and|strong="G2532" day|strong="G2250" praying|strong="G1189" exceedingly|strong="G4057" that|strong="G1519" we might see|strong="G1492" your|strong="G5216" face|strong="G4383", and|strong="G2532" might perfect|strong="G2675" that which is lacking|strong="G5303" in your|strong="G5216" faith|strong="G4102"? ¹¹ Now|strong="G1161" God|strong="G2316" himself|strong="G0846" and|strong="G2532" our|strong="G2257" Father|strong="G3962", and|strong="G2532" our|strong="G2257" Lord|strong="G2962" Jesus|strong="G2424" Christ|strong="G5547", direct|strong="G2720" our|strong="G2257" way|strong="G3598" unto|strong="G4314" you|strong="G5209". ¹² And|strong="G1161" the Lord|strong="G2962"

make|strong="G4121" you|strong="G5209" to increase|strong="G4121"
 and|strong="G2532" abound|strong="G4052" in love|strong="G0026"
 one|strong="G0240" toward|strong="G1519" another|strong="G0240",
 and|strong="G2532" toward|strong="G1519" all|strong="G3956" men,
 even|strong="G2532" as|strong="G2509" we|strong="G2249" do
 toward|strong="G1519" you|strong="G5209": ¹³ To the
 end|strong="G1519" he may stablish|strong="G4741"
 your|strong="G5216" hearts|strong="G2588"
 unblameable|strong="G0273" in|strong="G1722"
 holiness|strong="G0042" before|strong="G1715" God|strong="G2316",
 even|strong="G2532" our|strong="G2257" Father|strong="G3962",
 at|strong="G1722" the coming|strong="G3952" of our|strong="G2257"
 Lord|strong="G2962" Jesus|strong="G2424" Christ|strong="G5547"
 with|strong="G3326" all|strong="G3956" his|strong="G0846"
 saints|strong="G0040".

4Furthermore|strong="G3063" then|strong="G3767" we
 beseech|strong="G2065" you|strong="G5209", brethren|strong="G0080",
 and|strong="G2532" exhort|strong="G3870" you by|strong="G1722" the
 Lord|strong="G2962" Jesus|strong="G2424", that as|strong="G2531" ye
 have received|strong="G3880" of|strong="G3844" us|strong="G2257"
 how|strong="G4459" ye|strong="G5209" ought|strong="G1163" to
 walk|strong="G4043" and|strong="G2532" to please|strong="G0700"
 God|strong="G2316", w so|strong="G2443" w* ye would
 abound|strong="G4052" more and more|strong="G3123". ²
 For|strong="G1063" ye know|strong="G1492" what|strong="G5101"
 commandments|strong="G3852" we gave|strong="G1325"
 you|strong="G5213" by|strong="G1223" the Lord|strong="G2962"
 Jesus|strong="G2424". ³ For|strong="G1063" this|strong="G5124"
 is|strong="G2076" the will|strong="G2307" of God|strong="G2316", even
 your|strong="G5216" sanctification|strong="G0038", that|strong="G0567"
 ye|strong="G5209" should abstain|strong="G0567" from|strong="G0575"
 fornication|strong="G4202": ⁴ That|strong="G1492" every
 one|strong="G1538" of you|strong="G5216" should know
 how|strong="G1492" to possess|strong="G2932" his|strong="G1438"
 vessel|strong="G4632" in|strong="G1722" sanctification|strong="G0038"
 and|strong="G2532" honour|strong="G5092"; ⁵ Not|strong="G3361"
 in|strong="G1722" the lust|strong="G3806" of
 concupiscence|strong="G1939", even|strong="G2532" as|strong="G2509"
 the Gentiles|strong="G1484" which|strong="G3588"
 know|strong="G1492" not|strong="G3361" God|strong="G2316": ⁶
 That|strong="G3588" no|strong="G3361" man go beyond|strong="G5233"
 and|strong="G2532" defraud|strong="G4122" his|strong="G0846"
 brother|strong="G0080" in|strong="G1722" any matter|strong="G4229":
 because that|strong="G1360" the Lord|strong="G2962" is the

avenger|strong = "G1558" of|strong = "G4012" all|strong = "G3956"
 such|strong = "G5130", as|strong = "G2531" we|strong = "G4277"
 also|strong = "G2532" have forewarned|strong = "G4277"
 you|strong = "G5213" and|strong = "G2532" testified|strong = "G1263". ⁷
 For|strong = "G1063" God|strong = "G2316" hath|strong = "G2564"
 not|strong = "G3756" called|strong = "G2564" us|strong = "G2248"
 unto|strong = "G1909" uncleanness|strong = "G0167", but|strong = "G0235"
 unto|strong = "G1722" holiness|strong = "G0038". ⁸ He|strong = "G0114"
 therefore|strong = "G5105" that despiseth|strong = "G0114",
 despiseth|strong = "G0114" not|strong = "G3756" man|strong = "G0444",
 but|strong = "G0235" God|strong = "G2316", who|strong = "G3588"
 hath|strong = "G1325" also|strong = "G2532" given|strong = "G1325"
 unto|strong = "G1519" us|strong = "G2248" his|strong = "G0846"
 holy|strong = "G0040" Spirit|strong = "G4151". ⁹ But|strong = "G1161" as
 touching|strong = "G4012" brotherly love|strong = "G5360" ye
 need|strong = "G2192" not|strong = "G3756" that I write|strong = "G1125"
 unto you|strong = "G5213": for|strong = "G1063" ye|strong = "G5210"
 yourselves|strong = "G0846" are|strong = "G2075" taught of
 God|strong = "G2312" to|strong = "G1519" love|strong = "G0025" one
 another|strong = "G0240". ¹⁰ And|strong = "G2532"
 indeed|strong = "G1063" ye do|strong = "G4160" it|strong = "G0846"
 toward|strong = "G1519" all|strong = "G3956" the brethren|strong = "G0080"
 which|strong = "G3588" are in|strong = "G1722" all|strong = "G3650"
 Macedonia|strong = "G3109": but|strong = "G1161" we
 beseech|strong = "G3870" you|strong = "G5209", brethren|strong = "G0080",
 that ye increase|strong = "G4052" more and more|strong = "G3123"; ¹¹
 And|strong = "G2532" that ye study|strong = "G5389" to be
 quiet|strong = "G2270", and|strong = "G2532" to do|strong = "G4238" your
 own business|strong = "G2398", and|strong = "G2532" to
 work|strong = "G2038" with|strong = "G2398" your|strong = "G5216"
 own|strong = "G2398" hands|strong = "G5495", as|strong = "G2531" we
 commanded|strong = "G3853" you|strong = "G5213"; ¹²
 That|strong = "G2443" ye may walk|strong = "G4043"
 honestly|strong = "G2156" toward|strong = "G4314" them that
 are|strong = "G3588" without|strong = "G1854", and|strong = "G2532" that
 ye may have|strong = "G2192" lack|strong = "G5532" of
 nothing|strong = "G3367".

13But|strong = "G1161" I would|strong = "G2309" not|strong = "G3756"
 have|strong = "G2309" you|strong = "G5209" to be
 ignorant|strong = "G0050", brethren|strong = "G0080",
 concerning|strong = "G4012" them which are asleep|strong = "G2837",
 that|strong = "G2443" ye sorrow|strong = "G3076" not|strong = "G3361",
 even|strong = "G2532" as|strong = "G2531" others|strong = "G3062" which
 have|strong = "G2192" no|strong = "G3361" hope|strong = "G1680". ¹⁴

For|strong = "G1063" if|strong = "G1487" we believe|strong = "G4100" that|strong = "G3754" Jesus|strong = "G2424" died|strong = "G0599" and|strong = "G2532" rose again|strong = "G0450", even so|strong = "G3779" them|strong = "G3588" also|strong = "G2532" which sleep|strong = "G2837" in|strong = "G1223" Jesus|strong = "G2424" will|strong = "G0071" God|strong = "G2316" bring|strong = "G0071" with|strong = "G4862" him|strong = "G0846". ¹⁵ For|strong = "G1063" this|strong = "G5124" we say|strong = "G3004" unto you|strong = "G5213" by|strong = "G1722" the word|strong = "G3056" of the Lord|strong = "G2962", that|strong = "G3754" we|strong = "G2249" which are alive|strong = "G2198" and remain|strong = "G4035" unto|strong = "G1519" the coming|strong = "G3952" of the Lord|strong = "G2962" shall|strong = "G5348" not|strong = "G3361" prevent|strong = "G5348" them which are asleep|strong = "G2837". ¹⁶ For|strong = "G3754" the Lord|strong = "G2962" himself|strong = "G0846" shall descend|strong = "G2597" from|strong = "G0575" heaven|strong = "G3772" with|strong = "G1722" a shout|strong = "G2752", with|strong = "G1722" the voice|strong = "G5456" of the archangel|strong = "G0743", and|strong = "G2532" with|strong = "G1722" the trump|strong = "G4536" of God|strong = "G2316": and|strong = "G2532" the dead|strong = "G3498" in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547" shall rise|strong = "G0450" first|strong = "G4412": ¹⁷ Then|strong = "G1899" we|strong = "G2249" which are alive|strong = "G2198" and remain|strong = "G4035" shall be caught up|strong = "G0726" together|strong = "G0260" with|strong = "G4862" them|strong = "G0846" in|strong = "G1722" the clouds|strong = "G3507", to|strong = "G1519" meet|strong = "G0529" the Lord|strong = "G2962" in|strong = "G1519" the air|strong = "G0109": and|strong = "G2532" so|strong = "G3779" shall we|strong = "G2071" ever|strong = "G3842" be|strong = "G2071" with|strong = "G4862" the Lord|strong = "G2962". ¹⁸ Wherefore|strong = "G5620" comfort|strong = "G3870" one another|strong = "G0240" with|strong = "G1722" these|strong = "G5125" words|strong = "G3056".

⁵But|strong = "G1161" of|strong = "G4012" the times|strong = "G5550" and|strong = "G2532" the seasons|strong = "G2540", brethren|strong = "G0080", ye have|strong = "G2192" no|strong = "G3756" need|strong = "G5532" that I write unto|strong = "G1125" you|strong = "G5213". ² For|strong = "G1063" yourselves|strong = "G0846" know|strong = "G1492" perfectly|strong = "G0199" that|strong = "G3754" the day|strong = "G2250" of the Lord|strong = "G2962" so|strong = "G3779" cometh|strong = "G2064" as|strong = "G5613" a thief|strong = "G2812" in|strong = "G1722" the night|strong = "G3571". ³ For|strong = "G1063" when|strong = "G3752" they shall say|strong = "G3004", Peace|strong = "G1515" and|strong = "G2532" safety|strong = "G0803"; then|strong = "G5119" sudden|strong = "G0160"

destruction|strong = "G3639" cometh|strong = "G2186" upon them|strong = "G0846", as|strong = "G5618" travail|strong = "G5604" upon|strong = "G3588" a woman|strong = "G2192" with|strong = "G1722" child|strong = "G1064"; and|strong = "G2532" they shall|strong = "G1628" not|strong = "G3361" escape|strong = "G1628". ⁴ But|strong = "G1161" ye|strong = "G5210", brethren|strong = "G0080", are|strong = "G2075" not|strong = "G3756" in|strong = "G1722" darkness|strong = "G4655", that|strong = "G2443" that day|strong = "G2250" should overtake|strong = "G2638" you|strong = "G5209" as|strong = "G5613" a thief|strong = "G2812". ⁵ Ye|strong = "G5210" are|strong = "G2075" all|strong = "G3956" the children|strong = "G5207" of light|strong = "G5457", and|strong = "G2532" the children|strong = "G5207" of the day|strong = "G2250": we are|strong = "G2070" not|strong = "G3756" of the night|strong = "G3571", nor|strong = "G3761" of darkness|strong = "G4655". ⁶ Therefore|strong = "G3767" let us|strong = "G2518" not|strong = "G3361" sleep|strong = "G2518", as|strong = "G5613" do others|strong = "G3062"; but|strong = "G0235" let us watch|strong = "G1127" and|strong = "G2532" be sober|strong = "G3525". ⁷ For|strong = "G1063" they|strong = "G2518" that sleep|strong = "G2518" sleep|strong = "G2518" in the night|strong = "G3571"; and|strong = "G2532" they|strong = "G3184" that be drunken|strong = "G3182" are drunken|strong = "G3184" in the night|strong = "G3571". ⁸ But|strong = "G1161" let|strong = "G3525" us|strong = "G2249", who are|strong = "G5607" of the day|strong = "G2250", be sober|strong = "G3525", putting on|strong = "G1746" the breastplate|strong = "G2382" of faith|strong = "G4102" and|strong = "G2532" love|strong = "G0026"; and|strong = "G2532" for an helmet|strong = "G4030", the hope|strong = "G1680" of salvation|strong = "G4991". ⁹ For|strong = "G3754" God|strong = "G2316" hath|strong = "G5087" not|strong = "G3756" appointed|strong = "G5087" us|strong = "G2248" to|strong = "G1519" wrath|strong = "G3709", but|strong = "G0235" to|strong = "G1519" obtain|strong = "G4047" salvation|strong = "G4991" by|strong = "G1223" our|strong = "G2257" Lord|strong = "G2962" Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547", ¹⁰ Who died|strong = "G0599" for|strong = "G5228" us|strong = "G2257", that|strong = "G2443", whether|strong = "G1535" we wake|strong = "G1127" or|strong = "G1535" sleep|strong = "G2518", we should live|strong = "G2198" together|strong = "G0260" with|strong = "G4862" him|strong = "G0846". ¹¹ Wherefore|strong = "G1352" comfort|strong = "G3870" yourselves together|strong = "G0240", and|strong = "G2532" edify|strong = "G3618" one|strong = "G1520" another|strong = "G1520", even as|strong = "G2531" also|strong = "G2532" ye do|strong = "G4160".

12And|strong = "G1161" we beseech|strong = "G2065" you|strong = "G5209", brethren|strong = "G0080", to know|strong = "G1492" them which labour|strong = "G2872" among|strong = "G1722"

you|strong="G5213", and|strong="G2532" are over|strong="G4291"
 you|strong="G5216" in|strong="G1722" the Lord|strong="G2962",
 and|strong="G2532" admonish|strong="G3560" you|strong="G5209"; ¹³
 And|strong="G2532" to esteem|strong="G2233" them|strong="G0846"
 very|strong="G5228" highly|strong="G4057" in|strong="G1722"
 love|strong="G0026" for|strong="G1223" their|strong="G0846"
 work's|strong="G2041" sake|strong="G1223". And be at
 peace|strong="G1514" among|strong="G1722"
 yourselves|strong="G1438". ¹⁴ Now|strong="G1161" we
 exhort|strong="G3870" you|strong="G5209", brethren|strong="G0080",
 warn|strong="G3560" them that are|strong="G3588"
 unruly|strong="G0813", comfort|strong="G3888" the
 feebleminded|strong="G3642", support|strong="G0472" the
 weak|strong="G0772", be patient|strong="G3114"
 toward|strong="G4314" all|strong="G3956" men. ¹⁵ See|strong="G3708"
 that none|strong="G3361" render|strong="G0591" evil|strong="G2556"
 for|strong="G0473" evil|strong="G2556" unto any|strong="G5100" man;
 but|strong="G0235" ever|strong="G3842" follow|strong="G1377" that
 which is good|strong="G0018", both|strong="G2532"
 among|strong="G1519" yourselves|strong="G0240", and|strong="G2532"
 to|strong="G1519" all|strong="G3956" men. ¹⁶ Rejoice|strong="G5463"
 evermore|strong="G3842". ¹⁷ Pray|strong="G4336" without
 ceasing|strong="G0089". ¹⁸ In|strong="G1722" every
 thing|strong="G3956" give thanks|strong="G2168": for|strong="G1063"
 this|strong="G5124" is the will|strong="G2307" of God|strong="G2316"
 in|strong="G1722" Christ|strong="G5547" Jesus|strong="G2424"
 concerning|strong="G1519" you|strong="G5209". ¹⁹
 Quench|strong="G4570" not|strong="G3361" the Spirit|strong="G4151".
²⁰ Despise|strong="G1848" not|strong="G3361"
 prophesyings|strong="G4394". ²¹ Prove|strong="G1381" all
 things|strong="G3956"; hold fast|strong="G2722" that which is
 good|strong="G2570". ²² Abstain|strong="G0567" from|strong="G0575"
 all|strong="G3956" appearance|strong="G1491" of evil|strong="G4190".
²³ And|strong="G1161" the very|strong="G0846" God|strong="G2316" of
 peace|strong="G1515" sanctify|strong="G0037" you|strong="G5209"
 wholly|strong="G3651"; and|strong="G2532" I pray God
 your|strong="G5216" whole|strong="G3648" spirit|strong="G4151"
 and|strong="G2532" soul|strong="G5590" and|strong="G2532"
 body|strong="G4983" be preserved|strong="G5083"
 blameless|strong="G0274" unto|strong="G1722" the
 coming|strong="G3952" of our|strong="G2257" Lord|strong="G2962"
 Jesus|strong="G2424" Christ|strong="G5547". ²⁴
 Faithful|strong="G4103" is he that calleth|strong="G2564"
 you|strong="G5209", who|strong="G3739" also|strong="G2532" will
 do|strong="G4160" it. ²⁵ Brethren|strong="G0080",
 pray|strong="G4336" for|strong="G4012" us|strong="G2257".

26 Greet all the
brethren with an holy
kiss. ²⁷ I charge you
by the Lord that this
epistle be read unto all
the holy brethren. ²⁸ The
grace of our Lord
Jesus Christ be with
you. Amen.
The first epistle unto the Thessalonians was written from Athens.